

SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of) Arizona Supreme Court
) No. R-12-0036
PETITION TO AMEND ARIZONA)
RULES OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE,)
RULE 7.6)
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FILED 08/28/2013

**ORDER
AMENDING RULE 7.6, RULES OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE**

A petition having been filed proposing to amend Rule 7.6, Rules of Criminal Procedure, and comments having been received, upon consideration,

IT IS ORDERED that Rule 7.6, Rules of Criminal Procedure, be amended in accordance with the attachment hereto, effective January 1, 2014.

DATED this _____ day of August, 2013.

REBECCA WHITE BERCH
Chief Justice

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ATTACHMENT*

RULES OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

Rule 7.6. Transfer and Disposition of Bond

(a) - (b) [no change]

c. Forfeiture Procedure.

(1) **Notice and Hearing.** If at any time it appears to the court that the released person has violated a condition of an appearance bond, it shall issue a bench warrant for the person's arrest. Within ten days after the issuance of the warrant, the court shall notify the surety, in writing or by electronic means, that the warrant was issued. As soon as practicable after issuance of the warrant, ~~t~~The court shall also set a hearing within a reasonable time not to exceed 120 days requiring the parties and any surety to show cause why the bond should not be forfeited. The court shall notify the parties and any surety of the hearing in writing or by electronic means.

(2) [no change]

(d) – (e) [no change]

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